



Today in History

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▲ **Henri Cartier-Bresson, who co-founded the Magnum picture agency and was regarded by many as the father of photojournalism, died at the age of 95**

1865: The first print run of Lewis Carroll's "Alice's Adventures in Wonderland" was pulped because the illustrator, political cartoonist Sir John Tenniel, objected to the print quality

1934: Adolf Hitler declared himself Fuehrer of Germany on the death of President Hindenberg

1939: Albert Einstein urged U.S. President Roosevelt to begin an atomic weapons research programme

1990: Iraqi forces invaded Kuwait